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**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of

Jean-Louis BOYER et al.

Group Art Unit: 3641

Application No.: 09/101,508

Examiner: Troy Chambers

Filed: September 30, 1998

Docket No.: 100983

For: PROGRAMMABLY TIMABLE PRIMING DEVICE

**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS  
AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Decision of the  
Primary Examiner dated February 19, 2004.

The \$330.00 Appeal Fee and \$950.00 Extension of Time Fee are:

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       Not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this  
application with no Board Decision on the merits).

The shortened statutory period having expired May 19, 2004, it is hereby requested that the period  
for response be extended for three months.

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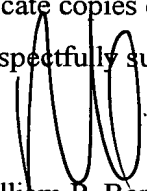
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